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## Department of Toxic Substances Control



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# WORK NOTICE

The City of Visalia  
North of Walnut Avenue

### Groundwater sampling planned - Starting March 13, 2008

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) is directing shallow groundwater sampling at 25 locations in the city of Visalia. DTSC's contractor will implement traffic safety controls along some roadways while sampling. The sampling is being done to help identify potential source areas for solvents (perchloroethylene or PCE) detected in public wells north of Walnut Avenue. PCE has been found in groundwater in a number of cities throughout the state. Public water suppliers are actively monitoring their wells on a regular basis to ensure the water produced continues to meet state drinking water standards.

Sampling will start at the intersection of Mineral King Avenue at Santa Fe Avenue and will move to the other locations over about one week. Please see the list of all the locations on the other side of this notice. Investigation sampling results will be available upon completion of a final report.

Drivers and pedestrians will see:

- A truck with an enclosed drill rig
- Traffic controls immediately around the drill rig truck

Work hours are 8 AM to 5 PM except on Mooney Blvd. where DTSC will have the work done at night.

Additional information can be found at: [www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov](http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov). Type in "Visalia" and click on "get report." Select the report on the "Visalia Dry Cleaner Investigation."

***If you have any questions regarding this fieldwork please contact:***

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***Visalia Groundwater Investigation sampling locations (in this general order after Mineral King and Santa Fe Avenues)***

**Akers Street north of the intersection of Akers and Walnut Avenue**

**Mineral King Avenue west of the intersection of Mineral King and Linwood Street**

**College Avenue east of the intersection of College and Demaree Road**

**Paradise Avenue east of the intersection of Paradise and Chinowith Street**

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**Hall Avenue north of the intersection of Hall and Houston Avenue**

**Giddings Avenue north of the intersection of Giddings and Houston Avenue**

**Main Street west of the intersection of Main and Stevenson Street**

**Stevenson Street north of the intersection of Stevenson and Main Street**

**Acequia Avenue west of the intersection of Acequia and Willis Street**

**Willis Street north of the intersection of Willis and Main Street**

**Willis Street south of the intersection of Willis and Center Street**

**West Street south of the intersection of West and Oak Avenue**

**Willis Street south of the intersection of Willis and Oak Avenue**

**Mooney Boulevard south of the intersection of Mooney and Tulare Avenue**

**Mooney Boulevard north of the intersection of Mooney and Princeton Avenue**

**Mooney Boulevard north of the intersection of Mooney and Walnut Avenue**

**Sweet Avenue west of the intersection of Sweet and Court Street**

**NE Third Avenue southwest of the intersection of Third Avenue and Grape Street**

**NW Third Avenue southeast of the intersection of Third Avenue and Pearl Street**

**Encina Street south of the intersection of Encina and Oak Avenue**

**Oak Avenue west of the intersection of Oak and Court Street**

**Mineral King Avenue west of the intersection of Mineral King and Bridge Street**

**Mineral King Avenue west of the intersection of Mineral King and Tipton Street**

**Mineral King Avenue west of the intersection of Mineral King and Oakhurst Street**